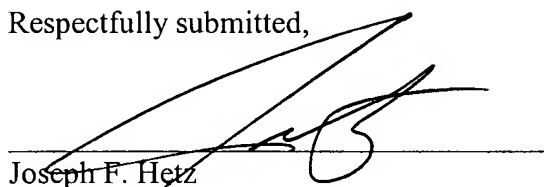


REMARKS

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed December 28, 2006, Applicant elects Group I (Claims 2-6, 8-28, and 35) without traverse. Applicants have also amended various ones of these claims for clarity and have added new dependent Claims 36-46. These amendments are not being made for reasons of patentability, as there are no outstanding rejections and the pending claims were previously indicated to be allowable. If there are any questions, please contact the undersigned attorney at (312) 321-4719.

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